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In re Patent Application of

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Serial No. 10/811,534

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Title: SPECTROSCOPIC FLUID ANALYZER

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Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☐ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.**

Fees are attached as calculated below:

Total effective claims after amendment	39	minus highest number			
previously paid for	39	(at least 20) =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ 0.00

Independent claims after amendment	3	minus highest number			
previously paid for	3	(at least 3) =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ 0.00

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add
\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$ 0.00

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Five Month Extensions	\$2160.00 (1255)/\$1080.00 (2255)	\$ 0.00

Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add
\$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$ 0.00

☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee
\$180.00 (1806) \$ 0.00

Assignment Recording Fee
\$40.00 (8021) \$ 0.00

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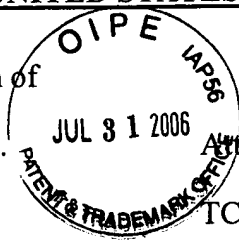
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In response to the office action dated July 12, 2006 finding that applicants have claimed two patentably distinct inventions (i.e. neither of which is made "obvious" in view of the other under 35 U.S.C. § 103) applicants hereby elect for further substantive examination the patentably distinct invention I comprising claims 1-26.

Favorable examination and a notice of allowance are respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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